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FM USMISSION GENEVA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 7632

INFO USUN NEW YORK 4903

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETEL ITU

SUBJECT: UN PRACTICE ON REIMBURSING EMPLOYEES FOR U.S. TAXES

REF: (A) STATE 118145, (B) GENEVA 2608

1. MISSION CANNOT UNDERSTAND CONTENTS OF REF A.  
LUMP SUM PENSION PAYMENT CANNOT BE PAID UNTIL AFTER  
EMPLOYEE HAS RETIRED, AT WHICH TIME HE HAS LEFT  
EMPLOYMENT OF ORGANIZATION.

2. ITU DOES NOT HAVE OWN PENSION SCHEME; IT IS A  
MEMBER OF UN JOINT STAFF PENSION FUND (JSPF). SECTION J.1  
(COMPUTATION AND PAYMENT OF BENEFITS) OF RULES OF JSPF  
APPLIES; THIS PROVIDES THAT BENEFITS ARE DUE AND PAYABLE  
FOLLOWING LAST DAY OF SERVICE.

3. FOR FURTHER INFORMATION RE WORKINGS OF JSPF,  
DEPT SHOULD DIRECTLY CONTACT ARTHUR LIVERAN, SECRETARY  
OF UN JOINT STAFF PENSION BOARD AT UN NEW YORK.

4. PLEASE ADVISE SOONEST AS ITU HAS REFUSED TO REIMBURSE  
RETIRED AMERICAN CITIZEN EMPLOYEE FOR U.S. INCOME TAX  
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ALREADY PAID ON LUMP SUM PAYMENT PENDING USG DECISION  
ON WHETHER TO REIMBURSE ITU, AND RETIRED EMPLOYEE IS  
IN PROCESS OF FILING GRIEVANCE WITH UN TRIBUNAL ON BASIS  
THAT ITU CANNOT REFUSE TO DO WHAT UN ALREADY DOING IN  
CASE OF ITS OWN RETIRED AMERICAN EMPLOYEES. SORENSON

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